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## PETTY THIEVING SHOPLIFTERS ARE BUSY IN GRIMSBY STORES

Three Dozen Pairs of Men's Socks Lifted at One Time—Pilfers Have Been More or Less Active for Some Time.

Local storekeepers are in a quandary as to how they can combat the small sized epidemic of petty shoplifting, that has been taking place in town, on and off, for some considerable time. All efforts to catch the sneaking thieves in the act have so far failed.

One storekeeper, early in the fall, had two of these slick artists spotted, but by the time that he notified police and the Chief arrived at his store the pilfers had disappeared. That particular pair of gentlemen has not shown up since.

Saturday night seems to be the night that they pick for their nefarious work, as nearly all the goods that have disappeared, went during the Saturday evening shopping hours, although one merchant states that he is continually losing small articles, no matter what the day or date.

On Saturday night last the thieves made a nice haul when they got away with no less than three dozen men's socks on one merchant, alone, as well as other goods. They never make away with anything large, seemingly being content with the small stuff, which can be stuffed in pockets or shopping bags in a hurry.

Police are helpless to do anything in the matter, for to have a uniformed constable standing around a store, during busy hours, would be just like putting a sign board out, that the cops were on the job. Just how the merchants can eventually trap the miscreants is a hard one to figure out, as no doubt they are working in pairs and when a merchant and his staff are busy, it is quite an easy matter to lift a lot of small items from the tables or counters unseen.

About the only way that these pilfers will be caught, will be for the merchants to hire more detectives that are unknown and thus costs money. It is a problem that is giving them a lot of worry.

## Action Is Urged on Fruit Growers

H. L. Crane Warns That Protection to Growers May Be Lost If Tariff Revised.

Fruitgrowers should be advised that unless some action is taken at once in prevention, all our protection by way of seasonal tariff and dump duties will be done away with by a proposed revision of the present trade agreement with the United States" declared H. L. Crane, of Louth, speaking in St. Catharines on Saturday morning.

"If this goes into effect," said Mr. Crane, "it means that the United States price plus freight sets the price for fruits for processing in Canada, and had that been the case this year instead of the processors paying 2 5/8 cents per pound for their peaches, the price paid by the canner would not have exceeded 1 1/4 cents per pound, making a difference this year of approximately \$75,000 and to a much greater extent in a light year crop."

"If the growers want this situation to prevail all along the line they should just keep quiet and that is just exactly what will happen," Mr. Crane emphatically declared.

"As this is the opinion of those close to the situation I felt it my duty to pass the information along. I am suggesting to the Fruit Growers Association that they arrange meetings where growers may express opinions in the matter."

## Our Weekly "BOOST"

We are now approaching the Christmas season when everybody will try and make someone else happy with some kind of a yuletide gift.

Our merchants have stocked many new and valuable suggestions, and should receive the support of the buying public.

## Men's Club Hear Fine Address

Rev. Neil Leckie Speaks on "The Red Sea, And Other Strange Places" — G. L. Eaton Introduces Unusual Feature.

At the meeting of the Men's Service Club of St. Andrew's Church in the Parish Hall on Tuesday evening, Mr. Eaton and his choir of young men contributed four part songs to the programme, the old English "Drink to me only with thine eyes," giving special pleasure. The whistling chorus to the "Farmer's Boy" was an unusual feature, and was made the more interesting by Mr. Eaton's remarks on the art of human whistling.

The Secretary, Mr. R. C. Bourne, announced the names of a number of gentlemen who are to give addresses to the club in the course of the winter months, and the first of these was the Rev. Neil M. Leckie, whose theme for the evening was the phrase "The Red Sea, and other strange places."

Dr. Leckie explained that what was meant by the "Red Sea" in this title was not the body of water so named, but that this expression was at one time used in England to indicate the unconsecrated plot in a churchyard, in which were buried those who died outside the pale of the Church. He recalled an eighteenth century incident in which the ghost of an unburied suicide had troubled a neighbourhood till the vicar of the parish gave his consent to have the body interred in the so-called Red Sea.

From this as a starting point the speaker dealt with various other features of English Churches, the windows, the Lectern, the Chancel, the Sanctuary, the Belfry, and in doing so he acknowledged a debt to the poet, per excellence, of the Church of England, George Herbert. In speaking of the Church Windows he quoted Herbert's parable in which the minister becomes a window through which Heaven's light must enter the lives of those who hear. He recalled the verses of Arthur Hugh Clough which find in the stained glass windows a likeness to the Gospels, mentioning also a pleasant blunder made by an eminent Canadian clergyman, who, in the preparation of a

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## Public Taken In By Salesman

Smooth Talking Stranger Sells Local People Fake Portrait Certificates—Chief On His Trail.

The gullible public is still easy prey to the smooth talking stranger that sells them something for nothing.

Chief DeMille informs The Independent that during the past week another one of these slick artists has been operating in the Grimsby district. This time a portrait picture racket.

The Chief first secured information on this gentleman's activities when the Connaught Studios, of Hamilton, a legitimate concern that does colored portrait work, notified him that there was a man by the name of Don Allen, operating in Grimsby, and passing himself off as one of their representatives. The Chief investigated, and found that Allen had made several calls upon local residents and in each case had received 50¢ a picture from them and in return gave them a certificate on the Connaught studios.

His plan is a simple one. He raps at the door of a house and asks the housewife if she would like to have some photographs of the family enlarged and colored. If she thought it would be a good idea, she paid him 50¢ a picture. He would then give her a Certificate for each picture. This Certificate had to be presented to the Connaught studios, when another \$1.00 per picture would be paid and the work done.

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## Christmas Edition

The Independent's annual Christmas edition will be published on Thursday next, December 10th. It will contain an unusually comprehensive shopping guide of Grimsby stores and it should stimulate citizens to patronize local merchants who have made every provision to cater to their needs in the way of Christmas gifts. Merchants are asked to have their advertisements in our office by Monday next in order to facilitate the publication of this special issue.

## Police Round Up A Tough Gang

Capture Three Men And a Woman Who Are Bodily Wanted by Toronto Police.

At four o'clock this morning, an automobile containing three men and a woman, drove into the West End Motors and asked for five gallons of gas. The night attendant put the gas in the tank, but before he could get to the front of the car to collect his money, the party rapidly drove away. Constable Turner was called but the attendant failed to take the number of the car, but was able to give the officer a good description of the people. Turner in the police cruiser, made a tour of the town and then drove east on the highway. At the cemetery gates he spotted a car pulling up at the side of the road. He stopped, and upon approaching the car, found that the people answered the description given him. He lodged the party in the cells and found that the driver, "Lefty" Robinson, 21, of Toronto, had no driver's permit. He admitted that the car had been stolen in Toronto, and that after leaving the gas station they had driven to Smithville and then to Beamsville and then up the highway.

The other members of the party were Reta Moreau, Cecil Dickenson and Harold Furrendon, all with records, and being hunted by Toronto Police. The Moreau woman, was connected with the big bank robbery case in Hull, Que., about a year and a half ago. Toronto detectives took the quartet back to the Queen City this afternoon. They were loud in their praise of the good work of the local police.

## Road Matters at County Council

Lincoln County Council Tuesday afternoon passed this resolution:

"That this council is of the opinion that our county roads No. 1, Haldimand; No. 8, Lincoln, and No. 2, Welland, form a very much shorter and more direct route from Beamsville to Niagara Falls than any other route and is gradually attracting increasing traffic to the extent beyond the ability of county road specifications, we therefore respectfully request the conversion of the above roads into a King's highway."

Frank E. Weir, county road superintendent, in his annual report presented to the council, said:

"I think the Department of Highways is to be commended upon the high standard which they have set for the new provincial highway, both as to construction and safety. They are also to be commended upon the manner of construction. The deep fills are being graded well in advance of other work. In this way, settlement has a chance to take place before the pavement is put down."

Mr. Weir recommended that the short piece of road at the north end of No. 8 to the new highway and on 13N from Beamsville station north to the new highway be added to the county road system and the grades to be widened in conformity with county roads specifications.

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## Another "Double Vote" Shopping Club Attraction

Two Votes For One Saturday In All Club Stores — Also Double Votes on Subscriptions.

Here is another opportunity for all contestants and their supporters to secure extra votes this week in the "Double Vote" feature Saturday.

Two Votes for One Saturday

All club merchants will again give out double votes Saturday on cash purchases and payment of accounts.

Make Saturday a big buying day at these stores and secure these extra credits.

Merchants will again be given free the extra votes given out by presenting a statement on Monday.

### Subscription Feature

Double votes on all pad subscriptions next Saturday and Monday, on renewals, arrears, or new subscriptions.

### Special Weekly Prize

The same prizes, \$2.00 and \$1.00 cash, will again be given out next week for the two largest vote returns up to next Monday, 6 p.m.

E. J. Willis and Miss Elsie Beamer won the special prizes for last week.

### This Week's Standing

The standing of contestants on Monday was as follows:

William Liles	349,925
Helene Boyd	229,000
E. J. Willis	192,725
Mrs. Peter Robertson	175,400
Mrs. Helen Bonham	174,425
Mrs. Elsie Beamer	166,175
John Ryans	165,000
Isabel Pickett	149,175
Mrs. Mary Liddle	142,900
Mrs. Wm. Robertson	122,725
Phyllis Norton	96,375
Mrs. J. F. Scott	80,450
Henry Loud	87,975
Glenna Farrell	85,000
Mrs. H. Lambert	78,500
Mrs. Henry McNinch	77,825
Mrs. Andrew Swain	74,250
Miss Isabel Hill	47,350
Mrs. Egbert Maret	61,725
Kathleen Cowan	50,775
Fred Clivers	49,100
Robert McClelland	45,300
Mrs. J. J. Mitchell	43,650
Mrs. Robt. Neale	37,750
Isabel M. Tracy	37,300
Albert A. Sims	30,600
Miss Marion Smith	30,500
Lloyd Moore	20,250
Wm. Phoenix, Jr.	26,875

Note—The above does not necessarily show the total vote, but gives the correct standing of all contestants.

Contestants with less than 20,000 votes not shown in above standing.

## Canadian Legion

The Annual Meeting of West Lincoln Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will be held at Durham's Restaurant, Grimsby Beach Road, and No. 8 Highway, on the evening of Wednesday, December 15th, 1937, at 8:00 p.m. when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

The following Comrades are the present officers of the branch: Immediate Past President - Fred Jewson; President - Jack Jenkins; First Vice-President - C. B. H. Croft; Second Vice-President - George Spencer; Secretary-Treasurer - H. Fonger; Poppy Fund - E. S. Johnson; Chairman Poppy Fund - Fred Jewson; Author - Col. W. W. Johnson and H. Coleman; and the following Executive Committee: Comrades George Warner, Grimsby; George Shepherd, Beamsville; Fred Jones, Winona; Rev. C. Flock, Vineland.

At the last regular meeting held on November 17th, the advisability of giving a dance, was considered. It was decided that on account of the Coronation Dance, held in May of this year having been so popular, that an Annual Dance would be held each year about the same time, or so that it would coincide with the blossom week.

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## A PERTINENT FACT ABOUT GRIMSBY

Grimsby Water Commission has 58,775 linear feet of water mains ranging in size from three-quarters of an inch, up to 10 inches, or approximately 11 and one-seventh miles of pipe. There are 73 fire hydrants, 74 commercial users of water, 18 industrial users and 360 domestic services. These figures do not include North Grimsby water system. The average monthly gallonage pumped for the 11 months of 1937 was 7,500,363 gallons.

## Mrs. W. H. Groce Gets Appointment

To Be County Representative on Newly Organized Old Age Pensions Board—Uniting Relief Worker.

Reeve E. S. Johnson, informed The Independent, last night, that at Wednesday's session of county council, Mrs. W. H. Groce of Grimsby, had been appointed as a county representative on the Mother's Allowance and Old Age Pensions Board.

Under a new set-up by the Provincial government, which goes into effect at the beginning of the year, the county only has two members on this board instead of five as heretofore. The other three members which will comprise the board will be appointed by the government. W. H. Richardson, of Merriton, for a great number of years a member of the board, is the other county appointment.

Mrs. Groce is well and favorably known throughout the peninsula for her untiring work along relief and welfare lines, and her appointment is one that will no doubt meet with favor. She is the daughter of the late Pelham and Mrs. Falconbridge, for many years prominent Grimsby residents, and a niece of the late chief Justice Falconbridge.

Rev. R. Allan Cranston, B.A., Delivers Two Forceful Sermons to Large Congregation.

St. John's Presbyterian Church held its Anniversary services on Sunday last when Rev. A. Allan Cranston, B.A., of Welland, was the speaker at both services.

The beautifully rendered music by guest singers and special numbers by the choir under the leadership of Mr. S. E. Wharton, together with two eloquent sermons by the speaker, made the day one to be remembered.

In the morning Rev. Mr. Cranston spoke on Man's Aim and Purpose in Life and in the evening, preaching to a capacity audience, he gave an uplifting and comforting message on how to leave a memorial to our name, no matter how lowly our station, or how limited our talent, choosing for his text Verse 18 from the 9th chapter of Ecclesiastes: "Now there was a leviathan in the city; yet no one remembered that same poor man."

Rev. H. Merritt of Grimsby Baptist Church read the scripture from the 9th Chapter of Ecclesiastes and Rev. B. Ferris of Trinity United Church offered prayer. At the evening service both Trinity United and Grimsby Baptist were withdrawn in order that their congregations might join in. John's in their special services Rev. L. B. Kaine exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Cranston at Welland.

Whether the department would take care of any necessary pavement repairs for the full width of the street or only on the centre portion, which was formerly the right-of-way for the old H. S. & B. radial line, could not be learned. It will be recalled that the highway department attempted to collect the gas pump tax from all Main street service stations a couple of years ago. Two or three operators paid the tax without question, but the remainder refused, on the grounds they were already paying local business tax.

## JUDGE STANBURY MAKES HIS AWARD ON COUNTY ASSESSMENT EQUALIZATION

Grimsby Assessment

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## Editorials

### WHO GETS THE CHRISTMAS TRADE?

The Canadian people probably spend more money in the three weeks before Christmas, than they do in any six weeks of the year at other times. That Christmas money is a great big plum, rich and juicy with prosperity.

Who is going to get that plum around Grimsby? If it goes to the home merchants, they deserve it, because they are laying in splendid stocks of everything you need. The money spent at home will largely continue to circulate there, making more jobs and producing more welfare in the town. If a large slice of that money goes elsewhere, its benefits are all lost to our home town.

### CARBON MONOXIDE

Particularly at this season of the year it is highly desirable to instruct your drivers regarding the dangers of carbon monoxide gas. It is colourless, odourless, tasteless and ruthless. The following instructions are recommended:

1. Never leave the motor running while sleeping, or even resting, in the cab of a standing vehicles.

2. When in a garage, keep garage doors open when motor is running.

3. Make sure you get fresh air while driving. Take a minutes or two, every hour, out of the car on long runs in winter.

4. Check exhaust and heater systems for leaks.

5. Keep floor boards and mats tight and in safe condition against exhaust fumes.

The symptoms of carbon monoxide poisoning may come on suddenly, but usually there are warning sensations, such as headache, throbbing of the temples, ringing in the ears, faintness, dizziness and vomiting. Be sure your car is properly ventilated — never take a chance with carbon monoxide gas.

### AFTER THE ACCIDENT

With thousands killed and injured annually in automobile accidents, everyone who drives a car must face the possibility that some day he will be involved in one of these deplorable mishaps. How will one behave in that moment of strain, and will his conduct get him into still deeper trouble?

There are severe penalties for the "hit and run" motorists. The public approves of such treatment for all who are involved in such a disaster, and who refuse to face the music, and do the best they can to make up for the harm which they may have caused.

It is only common courtesy and it is far safer, in even the slightest accident, for the drivers involved to stop their cars and find out just what damage was done. Usually after such a mishap, there is a scene of hot talk, and each party blames the other for the smash.

It does no good for people to lose their tempers. The madder they get, the more excited the other party will become, and the greater the chance of a prolonged fight over damages.

If anybody is injured, both parties should give up all other plans and engagements and devote themselves to the job of getting the injured persons to the nearest hospital or their homes at the earliest possible moment. In any case, people must be prepared to tell the truth. The wilder claims they make to police officers, the more likely their story is to be discounted and regarded as untruthful.

### TWEEDSMUIR GIVES A BOOST TO JUNIOR RED CROSS CAMPAIGN



With a friendly greeting and a pleasant reassuring smile for an audience which consists of English, French, Greek and Chinese children, Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada, inaugurates the Junior Red Cross Calendar campaign to raise funds for the hospitalization of sick and crippled children. His excellency is president of the Canadian Red Cross Society and his visitors here are Junior Red Cross members from the intermediate school at Hull, P.Q. Mr. N. A. Todd, their principal is at the right.

### CHRISTMAS ADVERTISING

As Christmas approaches, the newspapers blossom out with a crowd of ads. They will probably carry a greater volume of advertising during the present December than ever before in any single month. Without such announcements of the things the stores are offering, the styles that will prevail, the prices that will be asked, these concerns could not possibly expect to work off the enormous stocks they have assembled in anticipation of the holiday.

If these advertisers find such advertising necessary to sell their stocks, why is it not equally necessary for all who have things to sell?

### HOLIDAY GIVING

Do people spend too much money on Christmas gifts? Some people think so, and say that in many cases these gifts represent a kind of trade, which givers and receivers would gladly terminate, were it not for the fear of giving offense.

If you could ask all your friends how far they would like to abandon this custom, few of them would seek any change. They would say they make these offerings purely from free will, and get more pleasure out of them than in buying things for themselves.

In former ages of history, gifts were offered largely to buy favor and friendly relations. In early colonial days gifts played a large part in winning the favor of the Indians. If some colony was niggardly in these gifts, the red warriors became sour, and in a mood to go on the warpath and seek out some gory paleface scalps.

Some people offer gifts in that spirit today, but favor bought with gifts usually dries up when the memory of the gift grows stale. It is one of the signs of world progress, that now as a usual thing gifts represent real friendship and love. The heart of the world is growing bigger. Its principal regret at the Christmas season is that there are still very many for whom Christmas brings little good cheer and happiness. Our Christmas giving will not be all it should be, until such ones are remembered and given their share of happiness.

### Editorial Notes

They used to say home is where the heart is. Now it seems to be the place where people sleep.

To produce a good home town, you must have good home business. How are you going to have it, if you spend your money elsewhere?

It may be a sign you are growing fat, if you can't wear last year's clothes. May be more dangerous sign if you can't wear last year's hat.

The progressive merchants, big and not so big, are preparing for the Christmas business. The careful and thrifty buyer should give heed to the same important matter.

Municipal representatives are now on their good behaviour. The public is being told how economically they have been served during the year now approaching the end.

The prevalent notion that the average citizen is handicapped by lack of ready cash was more or less dissipated by publication of figures showing that Ontario racetrack followers wagered \$12,000,000 on the races during the 1937 season.

Gasoline is taking on something of the proportions of a gold mine for governments. Last year, the provincial governments across Canada collected thirty-four and one-half million dollars in gas tax, the motorist paying as tax an average of 6.36 cents a gallon.

The Honourable C. A. Dunsmuir, Minister of Finance, announced last week that 4,000 loans amounting to \$1,654,042.99 had been made up to October 30 under the Home Improvement Plan for improvement to farms. Loans in Ontario greatly exceeded those in other Provinces, with Alberta coming second and Quebec third.

"American radio is on the spot. Complaints from the public are gathering momentum. Advertisements are daily broadcast which no self-respecting newspaper would print. The news commentators are also under fire. A tremendously valuable invention is being perverted into a public nuisance and on this side of the border, too." — St. Catharines Standard.

### SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



### This Charging World

— by —

Earl Rogers and Paul Douglas

### BLOOD STAINS AND CRIME

Burning will no longer help criminals to hide blood stains. Three famous men of science, Drs. Jones L. Carr, Frederick Porsch and A. N. Moody announced the other day that they have conducted a vast number of experiments during a two years period, and they have discovered that blood could not only be fully identified even when heated to 200 degrees or more but that heating of the blood actually offers one of the best means to blood identification. This ends once and for all the usefulness of fire to criminals who imagine that it is possible to commit a "perfect" crime and hide it by means of burning the supposed evidence.

### COLDS AND CHINA

Canadians will soon feel the effects of the war in China because there is only a limited stock in the Dominion of certain Chinese drugs which are used in the preparation of ephedrine that forms a common prescription given by physicians for the alleviation of colds, hay fever and asthma. Ephedrine is an old drug that came into being in 1877 when it was isolated from another well-known Chinese drug, Ma Huang, which has been in use by the Western world for a number of centuries. This drug shrinks the nasal passage bringing relief to sufferers. The main source of supply of ephedrine in China is in the section of Tientsin where the disturbance is great, and consequently, the current crop have been destroyed and it is extremely difficult to import the product into the Dominion.

### NEW ANAESTHETIC GAS

A new anaesthetic gas which is administered with oxygen and which will be in general use soon is cyclopropane. This gas was first used in operative work in 1933 by Dr. Ralph A. Waters, one of the leading anaesthetists on the continent, but it was not in general use until recently when discoverers of this new preparation, Drs. Henderson and Lucas of the University of Toronto demonstrated a new method which permits its general use in surgery. The main features of cyclopropane are rapid induction into a state of unconsciousness, quiet respiration during the operative period, protection from surgical shock, and a minimum of nausea during the recovery.

The Sphinx, cared by the ancient Egyptians, possesses the distinction of being the most ancient of independent sculpture now extant.

### Other Editor's Viewpoints

### THOSE NOISY WEDDINGS

The custom of celebrating a wedding by driving through the streets in cars decorated with white ribbons and with noise-makers such as tin cans attached, has gained wide vogue, and, while it is generally regarded as a nuisance, the authorities in most communities are loath to interfere with this manifestation of hilarity on the ground that a marriage justifies a certain degree of departure from staid and orderly conduct. However, the overuse of some of the participants in these parades is creating the foundation for police interference. The continuous tooting of automobile horns and the clatter of noise-makers cause annoyance to citizens who are not interested in the wedding, and complaints are becoming more numerous. It is only a matter of time until most communities will order that these celebrations be discontinued. — Galt Reporter.

### A BIG ADVANTAGE

That country young people have an advantage over city folks in choosing wives is the contention of A. Walker, C.P.R. General Freight Agent of Toronto. Says he:

"In the country young ladies have been raised with the young men of their community. They know whether or not they are good workers; whether or not they will be good providers; they know their dispositions and their habits, and they have a keen appreciation of the young men's problems."

### WHEN I AM OLD

Ere I am old I'll leave the city,  
And sit in the sun of a garden plot.

Far from all envy, blame and pity,  
Glad and contented with my lot.

There will I watch my flowers grow  
fairer;

There will I hear the songs of  
birds;

And it may be, a music rarer—

The fit of laughter and loving  
words.

Ere I am old, I'll leave the rattle  
Of mart and 'change, and their  
greed and strife.

And I'll turn, as a man who has  
fought his battle,

To the lovelier things of a peace-  
ful life.

Ere I am old! — Ah me! how many

Who builded thus for the years  
ahead

Have stayed and schemed for the  
last base penny—

Has schemed till they and their  
dreams were dead!

— Ernest H. A. Home.



A tribute to the late Will Rogers in the form of this statue has just been completed by Guy B. de Val, noted Ottawa sculptor. The 12-foot figure pictures the late actor "sitting on top of the world." The sculpture will rest in a prominent place in Hollywood. Mr. de Val is shown beside his work.

## Elway Back When

By FRANK FAIRBORN Jr.

MY GOOD friend George Wilson, an old Grimsby boy, now in the shipping department of the Fleury plow works at Aurora, informs me that the Fleury Co. still manufactures plow shares for the Great plow. He believes that there are a large number of these plows still in use in Southwestern Ontario, judging from the number of shares that are shipped out every year.

DECEMBER 1912, and from reading the advertisements in The Independent for the issues of that month, Grimsby was preparing for a real joyful yuletide. As usual at such seasons of the year the services on the H. G. & B. were terrible. In fact the Saturday before Christmas it was completely demoralized. Christmas that year fell on a Wednesday.

High winds prevailed during the first part of the month and considerable property damage resulted. Smokestacks were blown down, roofs ripped off freight cars and electric power was off for several hours on different days. Warden Craze (of Louisa) held the Warden's annual banquet in St. Catharines. A suggestion was made in Ottawa that King George V and President Woodrow Wilson shake hands across the International border at Niagara Falls, at the 100 years of Peace Celebration, in 1914. Beautiful pianos for Christmas gifts were sold for \$100. Lincoln County council sat in session for 10 days. The boys needed the fees.

Last meeting of the year for 1912 was held. Fire Chief Walker complained that heads of other village departments were using the fire hall for a store room and it was almost impossible to get the fire apparatus in and out. E. S. Johnson was reeve and his council was Wm. Mitchell, W. F. Randall, Hugh D. Walker and somebody else whose name does not appear in the report of the meeting. Catarnet Power Co. having made and broken a dozen promises to the council re better street lighting, council decide to lay a complaint before the Municipal Board. The Old Town Hall was a paying concern, showing receipts for the year of \$37,67. Depot street had just been given a new coating of crushed stone. Council unanimously endorsed the fight that The Independent was waging against the H. G. & B. for better service.

North Grimsby council held an all day session, with Murray B. Smith in the reeve's chair. His council was J. H. Alway, N. R. Butherford, Hamilton Fleming and W. W. Beamer. All those men are deceased except Mr. Beamer. Thos. W. Allen was clerk. A plan to subdivide a certain portion of Grimsby Beach was submitted by H. H. Wyllie and approved by council. Township council also backed up The Independent in its H. G. & B. fight.

Stoney Creek residents were all in a flutter, over the discovery of a nude woman, headless, on a farm two miles north of the village. It was later found out, that the body was that of a Mrs. Henderson, from Burlington Beach, who had disappeared from her home several years previous.



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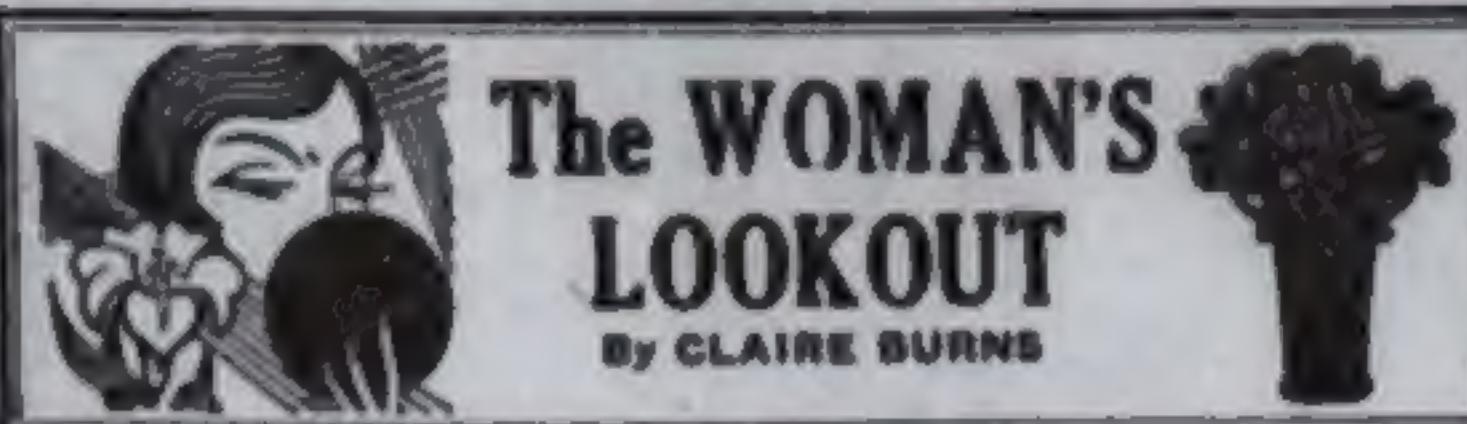
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On wet days and snowy days, on days when there is so much housework to be done, on days when you aren't feeling up to scratch yourself or when one of the youngsters is ailing, it's great to be able to shop by telephone. And on fine days too, and when everything else is going right, it saves you an endless amount of tiresome traipsing around. Make the telephone your market basket.



FASHIONS  
FACTS AND  
FANCIES

## Woman's Feature Page

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LOOKOUT

By CLAIRE BURNS

## DECORATE FOR CHRISTMAS—

With the season's first light snowfall over the weekend, everyone has become Christmas-conscious, and not a bit too soon either, for the time will soon fly around to the holiday season when we will be welcoming native sons and daughters to the town, some of whom perhaps only get home once a year. Christmas is the season when, as far as possible the entire family gathers for this festive occasion.

It has been customary for many years to invent the spirit of Christmas in our homes with Yuletide decorations, but during the past few years, some citizens have carried this gay decorative scheme outside their homes where all may enjoy them, and what a glorious sight it makes to holiday-seekers passing through the district, as well as our citizens.

Last year, to mention only a few of the outstanding ones in our own district, were the beautiful displays at the residences of Mrs. Hamilton Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moll, Clevelley, the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Way, and Mr. J. F. Mantle. People drove especially to view these gorgeous sights. Mrs. Fleming's home was a blazing design of varied colored lights from top to bottom; the windows of Clevelley gave out a cheery Yuletide spirit, with beautiful lighted holly wreaths in every window and the windows and hedges outside the Moll and Mantle residences were a glorified picture of Christmasy hues.

What a breath-taking picture this would make if every home in Grimsby would follow this idea—what a glorious sight, if every home in the Niagara Peninsula entered into this decorative scheme. The cities to our south whole-heartedly have done just this the past few years, and prizes are given for the best displays.

Something fairly new this year is the idea of silvered Christmas trees, which, when arrayed with colored lights, sparkle like suns on the snow and have a most realistic appearance. Bows, covered in the same manner, to wreath the windows and doorways, may also be had for a very small price.

So let us bid welcome to Santa Claus this year in Grimsby with a bigger and better Yuletide spirit and make our visitors feel the warmth of the Christmas season when they arrive to spend the holidays.

## THE CHRISTMAS PUDDING—

There is more than one way to make a Christmas pudding and here is a fine example of the best recipe, one which satisfies the soul:

Take some human-nature as you find it:  
The commonest variety will do;  
Put a little graciousness behind it.  
Add a lump of charity—or two.  
Squeeze in just a drop of moderation.  
Half as much frugality—or less,  
Add some very fine consideration.  
Strain off all of poverty's distress.  
Pour some milk of human kindness in it.  
Put in all the happiness you can;  
Stir it up with laughter every minute,  
Season it with good-will toward every man.  
Set it on the fire of heart's affection.  
Leave it till the jolly bubbles rise.  
Sprinkle it with kisses—for confection.  
Sweeten with a look from loving eyes.  
Flavor it with children's merry chatter,  
Frost it on a holly-garnished platter,  
And serve it with the song of Christmas bells.

On the other hand, we must also satisfy our stomachs, and we give you the recipe of an old English pudding, used by the chefs of the Canadian National Railways, who made a ton to be served to travellers this Christmas, working only in the tiny kitchen. We give you the recipe in proportion—a family size pudding, making two and a half pounds, ten generous individual portions:

Ingredients—½ lb. Bread Crumbs; ½ lb. Beef Stock; 2 oz. Flour; ½ lb. Brown Sugar; 2 oz. Mixed Peel; Pinch Salt; ½ teaspoon Baking Soda; Grated Rind and Juice of Half a Lemon; ½ pt. Milk; 3 Eggs; ½ lb. Sultanas; ½ lb. Raisins; ½ lb. Currents; ½ oz. Cinnamon; ½ oz. Nutmeg; ½ oz. All-spice; 1½ oz. Brandy.

Procedure—Mix the dry ingredients together thoroughly, then add the beaten eggs, milk and brandy, and mix all together thoroughly. Grease inside of pudding bowl or covered mould to prevent pudding from sticking. If pudding bowl used, cover bowl with floured gauze tied tightly around bowl to keep moisture away from pudding. Boil pudding for three hours. Heat thoroughly before serving, then unmould on dish. Serve with sprig of holly on top.

Serve with either Hard or Custard Sauce, made as follows:

## HINTS ON FASHIONS

... BY LEBETH —

THIS SEASON'S EVENING MODEL IS IN GAY AND YOUTHFUL MOOD WHETHER IT'S SLIM OR WIDE SILHOUETTE



## Habits to Health

## THE COMMON COLD

Bernard Fantus, M.D., authority for the therapeutic wisdom of the Cook County Hospital, Chicago, says that it is impossible to draw a sharp distinction between common colds, grippe and influenza. He calls the entire group "cattarrhal fever".

All of these are caused, it is believed, by some sort of filtrable virus, that is a germ so small that it passes through the finest of filters and in, of course, not seen under the most powerful microscope. Fall, winter and spring are the seasons for colds. Perhaps no other malady is responsible for so many days' loss from work or for so much individual discomfort.

In the ordinary course of one's life it is almost impossible to avoid "catching cold" or influenza when the latter is about. The important matter is to care for a cold or other cattarrhal infection when once such a thing is acquired. Most of the untoward results of the cattarrhal affections have been due to the person's staying "on the job" when he should have been in bed. In the influenza epidemic of 1918-19, it was the universal experience that fatalities were largely confined to those who kept going about in the early stages of the complaint.

The best thing for a person who has a cold or any of the cattarrhal conditions is to go to bed at once and to stay there until the cold is broken.

Treatment should be in the hands of the doctor but there is one thing the patient should have. That is lots of water either in the form of water Kefir or as lemonade or orangeade. A half tumblerful every hour when awake is not too much.

The complications of the cattarrhs are the things to be feared. Among these are inflammation of the middle ear, of the mastoid, sinus trouble, bronchitis and pneumonia. Few die from the cattarrhal affections as such. Codding treatment is the best preventive of the complications, as you business men, professor and hard worker, with colds are advised at once to go to bed and be codded.

—By John W. B. McCollough, M.D., D.P.H.

ST. ANDREW'S W. A. TEA  
AT MRS. THOS. LIDDLE'S

Last Friday afternoon, the members of St. Andrew's Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary entertained their friends most pleasantly at the home of Mrs. Thos. Liddle, "Rommore", on the occasion of their Annual Tea and Sale of Work.

Mrs. F. Wheeler presided at the Home Sewing and Handicrafts Table, and Mrs. F. Burton was in charge of the Candy Table.

Yellow and bronze chrysanthemums adorned the tea table where Mrs. R. L. Taylor dispensed cheering cups of tea, assisted by Mrs. A. B. Bourne, Mrs. H. Howard, Mrs. J. Johnson, Miss E. Sofley and Miss Mary Liddle.

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## PEEL 2-lb. Bag 27c

Clove

Currants

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## WALNUTS 1/4-pound 9c

Australian Seedless

## RAISINS 2 Pounds 21c

3-lb. Bag

21c

## BEANS With Pork 2 No. 23c

1-lb. Tin

23c

## SOUP 10-oz. Tin 7c

Aylmer Tomato or Vegetable

## PEACHES 2 16-oz. Tin 25c

Aylmer Sliced Ontario

## LAUNDRY SOAP 5 lbs 23c

Aylmer

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# SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mr. A. Sinclair spent the weekend at his home at Tillsonburg.

Miss Maudie Cullingsford was a visitor to Toronto over the weekend.

Mr. E. Barrett, of the local Royal Bank staff was a weekend visitor to London, Ontario.

Miss Edith Leckie has gone to New York to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Wilcox.

Mrs. H. D. Walker and Mrs. Ethel Thompson were weekend visitors with Mrs. H. Adair at Smithville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Coomber and daughter, Shirley, of Hamilton spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Coomber, Adelaide Street.

Mrs. Theron Woolverton left on Tuesday to spend the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Murray, at Huntington, West Virginia.

The friends of Mrs. E. J. Willis, who underwent an operation in Hamilton Hospital on Monday, will be pleased to learn that her condition is reported as favourable.

According to reports Mr. C. J. Love, who has been ill the past few weeks, suffered a relapse this week which will confine him to his home for at least another month.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Rigby and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoyt of California spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Swan, Elizabeth Street.

Wm. and Mrs. Wasmep of Folyet were visitors in town on Friday. It was only 23 below zero when they left the North on Wednesday night.

Miss Helen Lothian and Mrs. Fred Gurney, Wilson Johnson, E. Unwin attended a meeting of the local council, A.Y.P.A. held at Merriton on Monday evening.

His many friends will be pleased to learn that the condition of Dr. Vance R. Farrell, who is confined to his home for several weeks through illness, is reported as improving.

Mrs. William Shafer who is spending the winter months with her husband and parents at Sarasota, Florida, underwent an operation for appendicitis on Sunday last and according to latest reports her condition is considered quite favourable.

Mrs. George Neiles, who before her marriage on Wednesday of this week was Miss Edna Smith, was the guest of honour at several further social events during the past week, including a bridge on Thursday afternoon last at the home of Mrs. W. R. Boehm and a tea on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gerald Nash, Welland. Mr. and Mrs. Neiles were both honoured at a dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Thompson on Thursday evening last, while on Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Neiles Rutherford were hosts at a dinner party and on Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wade and Miss Eleanor Petit entertained at a dance in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Neiles.

You enjoy reading the social and personal items in this column why not contribute to its interest by sending in any items you may have. Our phone No. is 36. Items by mail must bear the signature of the sender.

Miss Marion Scott was a weekend visitor in Hamilton.

Miss Edith Leckie is spending a few days with friends at Burford, Ontario.

Miss Jessie Stewart is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Ray Hunter at Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Jacobs of Hamilton were visitors to Grimsby during the weekend.

Mr. Mortimer Baumgarten of Toronto was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Neil M. Leckie over the weekend.

The open Sunday at the Grimsby Beach Sunday School was a great success. Mr. Juer gave a fine address, assisted in singing by Mr. and Mrs. Mealing of Toronto. All had to leave right after the service to take part in a service in Toronto. Mr. Tweeney is to be congratulated on the work he is doing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sovereign have returned to Grimsby after spending the past six weeks at their farm at Waterford.

Miss Jean McKenzie of Hamilton was a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McKenzie, Depot Street, over the weekend.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Swan were Mr. and Mrs. F. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brash and children, also Miss Anne Swan of Lockport, New York.

Many pre-nuptial events were held in honour of Mrs. George H. Lee, who before her marriage on Saturday afternoon was Aletha M. Durfey of Hamilton and a former popular resident of this district. The girls of the Mercury Mills, Limited, gave a crystal shower, Miss Jessie Smith was hostess at a dinner party at the Corner House, where the guest of honour was presented with a cup and saucer shower. Mrs. Norman Morrison gave a tea and kitchen shower and Miss Maud Turner was a dinner and bridge hostess. Misses Margaret and Effie Murray entertained at dinner and the Mercury Mills Ltd. made a presentation. Mrs. Mary Welsh entertained at a dinner and Mrs. George Barnard at a tea and presentation assisted by Mrs. Wilbert Ready and Miss Rhea Welsh. Miss Marjorie Lee entertained at a eucharist and presentation and Mrs. Gordon Carpenter and Mrs. Margaret Kelso of Winona gave a pantry shelf shower at the home of Mrs. Carpenter.

ST. ANDREW'S A.Y.P.A.

At the regular weekly meeting of St. Andrew's A.Y.P.A. on Wednesday evening of last week, under the chairmanship of Vernon Croft and his group, reports on the conference held at St. Catharines the previous week, were received. Miss Emma Bourne commented on the Thursday night's and Saturday's programs, and William Jose on Friday's activities, while Strachan McCashill gave an account of the tour which took place on Saturday afternoon. The balance of the evening was spent dealing with general questionnaires, concluding with the serving of refreshments.

## Grimsby Beach

A sorrowful message arrived from Toronto informing us Miss Louise Rae of Toronto is seriously ill. She, with her father and mother, who own a cottage at the Beach, have made a lot of friends and we are all hoping for better news and a speedy recovery.

Mr. Geo. H. Gordon of Kitchener, who summers at the Beach, was elected as Mayor of Kitchener in a three-cornered fight on Monday.

Some of the local sports helped to fill the bus load made up of members of County Council and county officers and friends, who went to Toronto to see the Canadian-Maple Leafs game on Saturday last. All reported a good time and a good game.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hardy and Mr. E. Pope of Toronto paid a week-end visit to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pope, Park Road.

Congratulations are being passed to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson, who celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary last Saturday.

Everyone is looking forward to the regular meeting of the Home and School Club on Friday evening. After regular business a play will be rendered, entitled "The Little Red Hat." The meeting will close with lots of pie and coffee. All welcome; silver collection.

## Wedding

### NELLES—SMITH

St. Andrew's Anglican Church was filled to capacity with friends for the picturesque wedding which was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the rector, Rev. J. Allan Ballard, when Edna Jane, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles William Smith, of Grimsby, became the bride of Leslie George Neiles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie M. Neiles, also of Grimsby, in a ceremony which united two very popular members of Grimsby's younger set. A profusion of chrysanthemums, ferns and palms, formed a lovely setting for the marital vows.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. Norman Neiles, wore a graceful gown of white velvet, cut on princess lines, with a long train falling from the shoulders. Her veil of white net was caught with clusters of orange blossoms to form a cap effect, and she carried a bouquet of Talieman roses and lily-of-the-valley. Mrs. Gilbert Wade, as matron of honour, was gowned in mauve moire and carried a bouquet of Briarcliff roses, while the bridesmaid, Miss Eleanor Petit, was wearing green moire and carried yellow roses. Little Sandra Sims, as flower girl, wore a frock in yellow moire, made on lines similar to the senior attendants, with a Juliet cap of pearls, and she carried an old-fashioned nosegay.

The best man was Mr. Gilbert Wade of Grimsby and the ushers were Mr. Malcolm Neiles and Mr. Hugh Whyte, also of Grimsby.

Mr. T. L. Dymond presided at the organ and during the signing of the register Mrs. Clive E. Bean effectively rendered the solo, "O Perfect Love."

A reception followed at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Roberts, Main Highway West, when Mrs. Roberts assisted in receiving, wearing a becoming gown of black velvet. The groom's mother, Mrs. Leslie Neiles, was in blue and grey cut velvet.

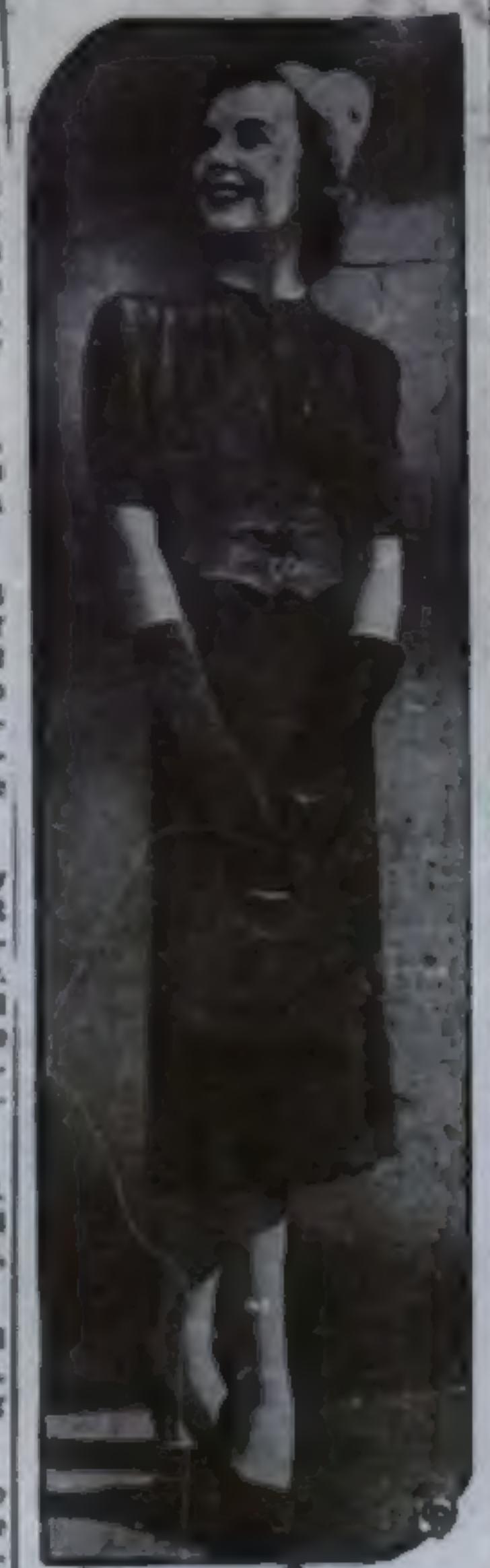
## Annual Meeting Of Trinity W. A.

The annual meeting of the Women's Association of Trinity United Church was held in the church parlor on Thursday, December 2nd. Very gratifying reports of the year's activities were received.

The election of officers for the new year was presided over by Rev. R. B. Farris, resulting as follows: Mrs. T. R. Hunter, President; Mrs. Baxter, 1st Vice; Miss Doran, 2nd Vice; Mrs. E. U. Patterson, 3rd Vice; Miss Olive Kitchen, Secretary; Mrs. E. L. Stonehouse, Treasurer; Mrs. Frank Merritt, Pianist.

Conveners for the various committees are as follows: Social, Mrs. W. McNiven; Kitchen, Mrs. O. M. Pettit; Manse, Mrs. Murray Beamer; Quilt, Mrs. P. E. Wilkins; Flower, Mrs. James Theal with a committee composed of Mrs. H. J. Clarry, Mrs. W. Piser and Mrs. J. R. Smith.

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## OBITUARY

### Miss Frieda Irene Reiske

Many friends in Grimsby, where she was a former resident, were shocked to learn of the sudden passing of Miss Frieda Irene Reiske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Reiske, on Saturday last at her late residence, 27 Roslyn Avenue North, Hamilton. Miss Reiske, who contracted tuberous sclerosis only a few days before her death, was born in Beverly Township 30 years ago and when a girl moved with her parents to Ancaster where she lived for 14 years. Subsequently the family moved to Grimsby, and Stoney Creek before moving into Hamilton two years ago. She was a member of Delta Tabernacle, and was a popular member of the younger social set of Hamilton, having been well known in musical circles.

She leaves to mourn her passing, besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Reiske, two sisters, Mrs. Clifford Oder of Galt and Mrs. Lyle Beckett in Tillsonburg; four brothers, Harold of Toronto and Albert, Howard and Russell of Hamilton.

An unusually large number of sorrowing relatives and friends attended the service, which was held at the residence on Tuesday afternoon and accompanied the funeral cortège to Stoney Creek cemetery, where interment was made. Rev. H. L. Turner of Delta Tabernacle, assisted by Rev. J. W. Hunt of the United Church at Hessie, officiated at the home and graveside. Numerous beautiful floral tributes attested to the high esteem in which the deceased young lady was held.

Acting as pallbearers were: Harry F. Hazel, Joseph E. Pott, Dr. Harry Granger, John E. Milne, Eddie H. Corman and John Wyllie.

## Eastern Star Elect Officers

Grimsby Chapter No. 186, Order of the Eastern Star, held its regular meeting in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening with Worthy Matron Sister Mildred Jacobs in the chair.

One candidate was given the degrees and the election of officers was held as follows: Worthy Matron, Sister Lillie Craig; Worthy Patron, Bro. David Cloughley; Associate Matron, Sister Alida Vancil; Secretary, Sister Janet Flett; Treasurer, Sister Margarette I. Farrell; Conductress, Nora Chambers; Associate Conductress, Sister Ethel Wray; Trustees, Bro. David Cloughley, P.P.; Bro. Frank Hitchman, P.P.; Sister Inez Cloughley, P.M.; Auditors, Sister Laura Mogg, P.M.; Sister Rose Harris, Sister Anne Culp.

The Chapter decided to hold a Christmas party. At the close of the business meeting refreshments were served by the committee in charge and a social hour spent.

BRIDGE CLUB  
An open bridge under the auspices of Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, I. O. D. K. was held in the Chapter room on Monday afternoon, there being four tables in play. The prize for high score was presented to Mrs. Leslie J. Farrell. At the close of the game dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses, Madames C. Bell, A. W. Eickmeyer and Allan Smith.

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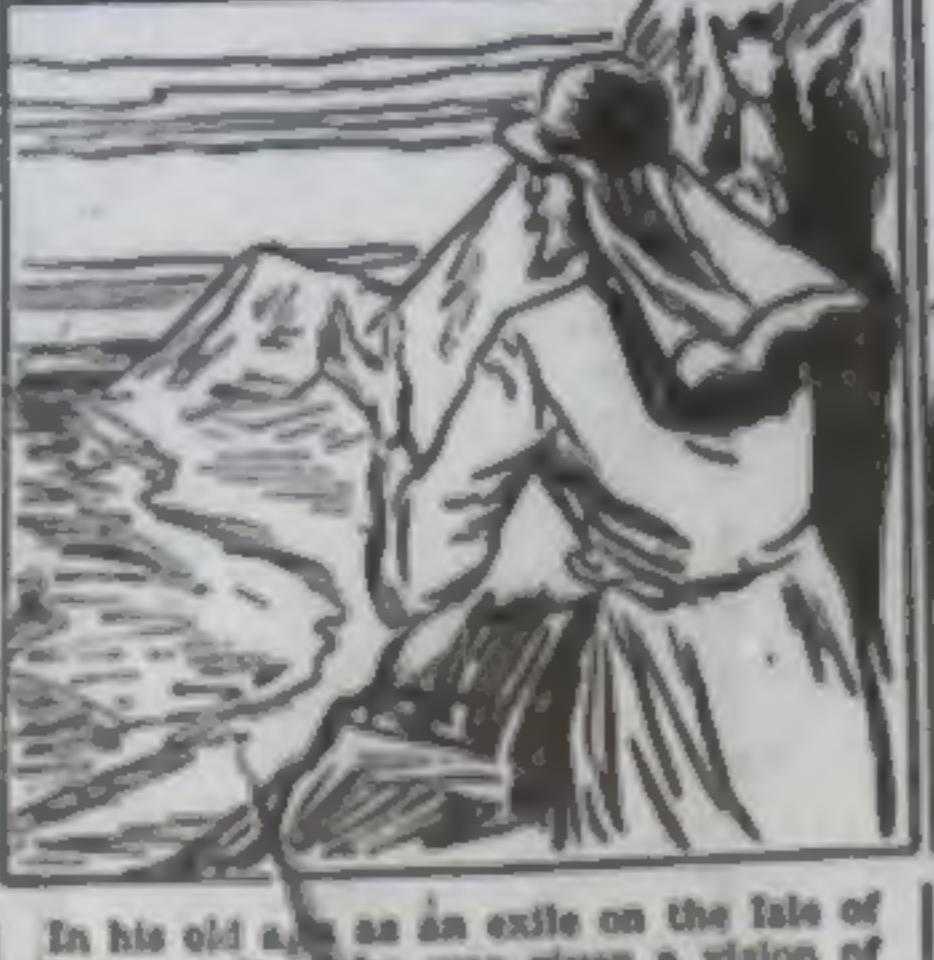
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Scripture—I John 1:1-7; Revelation 1:1-7.



By the Rev. Alvin E. Bell  
And Alfred J. Bunker

John, "the disciple Jesus loved", enjoyed the closest fellowship with Jesus. He says, "That which we have seen and heard declare unto you also, that ye also may have fellowship with us."

Of this fellowship John says, "Our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son Jesus Christ . . . If we say that we have fellowship with him and walk in darkness, we lie."

In his old age as an exile on the Isle of Patmos, St. John was given a vision of the continuance of this fellowship in "new heaven and a new earth."

From God's throne he heard a voice saying, "Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he shall dwell with them and God himself shall be with them."

(GOLDEN TEXT—I John 1:3)

## Within Our Churches

### The Golden Text



I John 1:3—"Our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son Jesus Christ."

### Niagara Church Re-opens Sunday

**St. Andrew's Anglican First**  
Erected in 1794—Burned in  
1812—Now Restored to  
Original State.

The congregation of St. Andrew's Church, Niagara-on-the-Lake, looks forward to the re-opening of their church on Sunday, December 12th, following complete restoration, refurnishing in part, redecoration within and without, and the installation of a modern heating system. The old pews, the pews draped as in early days for communion service, table pews and slip pews, have been retained.

This work is progressing under the direction of Professor Arthur of the Department of Architecture, University of Toronto. Funds for this extensive work have been supplied by Mr. Thomas Foster of Toronto, a former mayor, to the amount of \$4,000. Already the Manse, one hundred years old, has been renovated and a new heating system installed, the whole gift of Mr. J. P. Bickle, the cost being \$1,500. The dignified Colonial rooms with their old-time inside shutters, six fireplaces and mantles, gems of early architecture, are now most attractive.

The first church was erected in 1794, and was destroyed by fire in 1812 during the War. A hall was then built and served as a meeting place during the restoration, following the war. In 1831 the present building was erected and is regarded by the Department of Architecture of the University of Toronto as the finest piece of Colonial Architecture in the Dominion. Elaborate preparations are being made for the re-opening, the services to occupy two Sundays, December 12th and 19th. Rev. Dr. Inkster of Knox Church, Toronto, will be the preacher for the 12th, his morning subject being Presbyterian Fellowship, and the evening, The Greatest Need of Young People.

On the morning of December 19th, communion will be dispensed, and in the evening, conducted by Rev. Austin L. Budge, Clerk of Hamilton Presbytery, an "Old-time" Presbyterian service will be held.

The congregation extends a hearty welcome to friends far and near to join the pilgrimage to this Presbyterian Shrine of St. Andrew's, Niagara-on-the-Lake. Many distinguished visitors are expected. It is hoped the Moderator of the General Assembly, Dr. Hugh Munro, will be present. His Honor, Lieut. Gov. Bruce, has signified his acceptance of the invitation. Others expected are the Hon. T. B. McQuesten, Dr. Cody, President of Toronto University, and Professor Arthur, Architect in charge and other University Professors.

### Christian Fellowship

PREVIEW ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By DR. ALVIN E. BELL

(The International Uniform Lesson on the above topic for Dec. 12 is I John 1:1-7 and Revelation 1:1-7. The Golden Text being I John 1:3, "Our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son Jesus Christ.")

AT THE creation of man John said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a help-mate for him." Having been made in the image and likeness of God he was like God in that his nature called for fellowship through which he might express his love.

Our Lord Jesus recognized this need of fellowship when he "sent his disciples by two and two." The early church recognized the same in sending forth Barnabas and Saul, Paul and Silas, Barnabas and Mark, Peter and John, etc. This "knitting of the soul of Jonathan with the soul of David" is an expression of one of the most deep-seated and universal characteristics of human nature. And our Lord was so thoroughly human that he shared this trait with us. So we hear him saying to his disciples: "With desire I have desired to eat this morsel with you before I suffer"; and again, "My soul is exceeding sorrowful, even unto death; abide ye here and watch with me." As Son of God he enjoyed fellowship with his Father from eternity. John says, "That which was from the beginning, that which we have heard, that which we have seen with our eyes, that which we beheld, and our hands handled of the word of life. And the life was manifested, and we have seen, and bear witness, and declare unto you the life the eternal life, which was with the Father, and was manifested unto us."

Our Lord's eternal fellowship with his Father, which he extended to include his first disciples is still further broadened to include all who will accept it through faith in him: "That ye also may have fellowship with us: yes, and our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ." The privilege of such a fellowship should move us to want to fit ourselves for it by bringing our lives into harmony with the Divine: "In him is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with him and walk in the darkness, we lie, and do not the truth: but if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanseth us from all sin." Continual striving after holiness must result from our desire for fellowship with God. To be with him is to be like him. Fellowship

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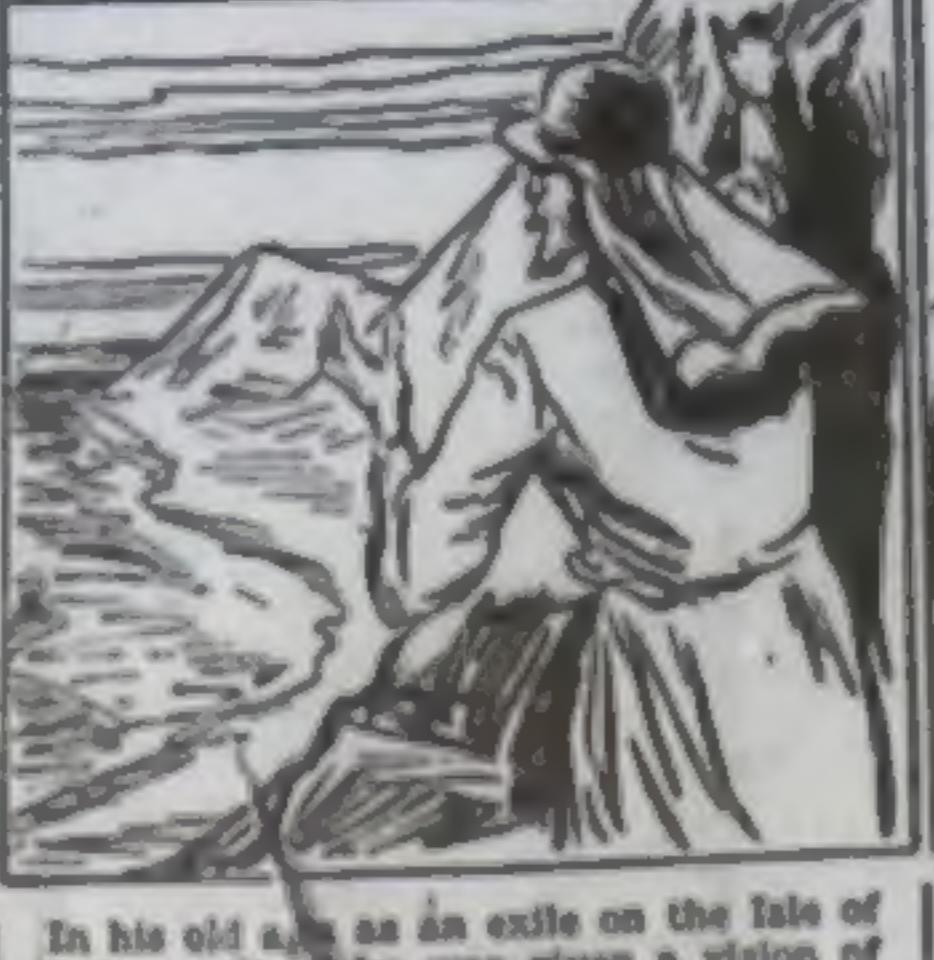


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## Peninsula Notes

An increase in customs and excise collections for November of \$78,831 over the same month last year is reported today by Collector J. Colin Blain, of St. Catharines. The revenue for the past month was \$244,108 and for November, 1936, \$165,348.

Welland city will build a new Hydro sub-station at a cost of \$35,000.

Hanson Theatres Ltd. will build a new theatre in St. Catharines, at a cost of \$300,000.

Sam Stone, 19, Hamilton, was sentenced to two years and three months in Kingston penitentiary, at Niagara Falls, when he pleaded guilty to theft of a doll covered with 25 one dollar bills in a local window. The doll was a prize and the window was smashed with a brick. He also pleaded guilty to theft of a car and a bag containing a silver bowling trophy. On the latter charges he was sentenced to a year on each, concurrent with the other sentence.

The last of the swing bridges over the old Welland canal has been torn down.

The first eviction in Merriton's history occurred Saturday morning. All the furniture in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Darlow, 15 Hall avenue, was being moved out onto the sidewalk by Sheriff Fred J. Graves and his men. While other evictions have taken place in Merriton, the occupants of the houses in each case in the past have heeded the warning and have vacated the house of their own accord. This is the first time in the 50 years of Chief S. A. Moffatt of the police force that he has been present at such an incident as happened Saturday morning.

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## District

## THIRTY MOUNTAIN

Miss Mary Lounsbury of Smithville has been staying the past week with her sister Mrs. Penfield, who has been confined to the house through illness.

The Thirty Mt. Church are holding their Christmas tree December 23rd and the Public School December 21st. All welcome.

Mr. Wm. Kemp and Ashley Elliott spent Sunday in Dundas visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kemp.

Maltaud Muir, who spent the past six months with Egbert Hurst, left to accept a position in Welland port, and Arthur Priddle has taken "Maire's" place.

Mr. R. Potter and Miss Thelma Foad spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Penfield.

The many friends of Mrs. Wm. Carson and Mrs. R. Mackay will be pleased to know they are improving.

Wm. Procykyn of Orillia spent Saturday at his home here. Miss Nettie returned with him to visit Mr. and Mrs. Neisse Peoley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Millward Ruth and Lyle, of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Millward of Hamilton Beach, called on Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hunt and Mrs. C. F. Millward on Sunday.

## Accidents And Compensation

There were 6,629 accidents reported to The Workman's Compensation Board during the month of November, as compared with 6,556 during October, and 5,567 during November a year ago.

The total benefits awarded during November amounted to \$842,822.22, of which \$431,230.24 was instantly killed at Winona last week.

This year's record to date shows a total of 64,854 accidents reported, as compared with 55,982 during the same period last year, and the benefits awarded to date this year amount to \$5,557,463.90, as against \$4,936,223.22 to the end of November last year.

After having the purpose of a game-controlled area described by M. C. Lamoure, provincial game overseer for Lincoln county at its meeting last week, the Gainsboro township council is taking the necessary steps to make application to the department of game and fisheries to have the municipality proclaimed such an area.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Vickers and little son, Ridge Road, were Sunday visitors at Wm. Duck's.

The Christmas meeting of the Gramie W. L. is being held at Miss R. Thomas' home on Thursday afternoon of this week. We extend our sincere sympathy to the president, Mrs. Herbert Beamer, whose brother, George Southward, was instantly killed at Winona last week.

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had been able to pick up without actually studying. When the first Parliament of Upper Canada met at Niagara in 1792 with about seven members, James Clark was the first clerk, he said. Pointing to a handsome walnut writing desk in one corner of the room Mr. Bradt said, "and there is the desk upon which the first laws of this country were written—it was one of the articles of furniture saved from the Parliament buildings when they were fired by the Americans in the War of 1812." Closer examination of the desk proved it to be a truly marvelous example of the early cabinet maker's work. Not a single nail holds it together, every joint being dovetailed. Mr. Bradt opened the desk and honored the reporter by allowing him to write upon it.

"After the parliament buildings were burned in Niagara they moved to York (Toronto) and from 1813 to 1818 my mother's brother, James W. O. Clark, carried the mail from Niagara to York," Mr. Bradt explained. "He travelled by horseback, with a sack over his shoulder, and it took him three days to go and three days to come back, following the lake shore. The

trip was made once a week." James Clark was then about 18 or 20, Mr. Bradt said.

Boat on displaying another priceless treasure, Mr. Bradt hunted through a cupboard filled with antiques and finally returned with an old-fashioned muzzle-loading flintlock musket. On one side of the stock it bore the date 1807 and a stamp of the American eagle. "This musket was seized from a pile which was being burned up by Indians after the battle of Queenston Heights," Mr. Bradt explained. "My father's brother, Uriah Bradt, led a band of Indians known as scouts and after the battle a great pile of these muskets were abandoned because the regular soldiers were not allowed to take them. The Indians were lighting a fire to burn them when my uncle snatched one from the flames."

Urged to tell something of his own history, Mr. Bradt evaded all questioning and sidetracked to an account of the history of his home in which he was born on October 18, 1844.

The house is a typical example of its day, having been built by Mr. Bradt's father, Peter Bradt III, two years before Mr. Bradt was born.

Practically all the material for the house was produced right on the farm. The brick was made from lime burned at home, the lumber

came from trees hewn and sawn at the Bradt sawmill, while practically all the labor was done by one man. It took almost a year to complete the inside trimming alone, explained Mr. Bradt.

Mr. Bradt is remarkably well preserved for one of his age. Although he takes no active part in farming any more, nevertheless he directs all activity and conducts his own business affairs. A fact of which he is very proud is that he has never yet been under the care of a doctor. He possesses a rare sense of humor and to the stereotyped question, "To what age do you expect to live?" Mr. Bradt answered, "I expect to reach 150, anyway." He said he believed his long life had come from being jolly and living a good honest life.

Exemplifying his keen wit and his knowledge of up-to-date affairs, Mr. Bradt related the following anecdote: "A young woman was here to see me a few days ago trying to buy some of my antiques, but after I told her I didn't wish to part with any I asked her why she didn't divorce her husband, like Mrs. Simpson did, and then set her cap for me. I told her I was a widower and that sooner or later she would get all my antiques."

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North Grimsby council meets for the last time this year on Wednesday morning next at 11 o'clock.

Last meeting of the Water Commission for this year, next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Reeves Johnson and Durham, and Deputy-reeve Crittenton are in attendance at county council in St. Catharines, this week.

Grimsby Gun Club Poultry Shoot scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, was postponed owing to high winds and snowstorms.

Magistrate Jas. A. Campbell, has not had to hear a case in Grimsby court for three weeks now.

Mrs. Miriam Headley has been appointed to the advisory committee of the Girls' Welfare and Youth Movement Board for this district.

Warden Stirling is giving the annual Warden's banquet to Lincoln County officials in the Welland House, St. Catharines, on Friday night.

Tax Collector Irvin Olmsted, on the warpath after the young men who have neglected to pay their 1937 Poll Tax. The tax this year is \$3.00.

A. LePage, while working on an automobile battery on Sunday evening, had the misfortune to have a piece of solder strike him in the eye, causing a painful injury, but fortunately the night was not injured.

The first dinner meeting of the Grimsby Business Men's Association, was held in the Village Inn on Friday evening last. Don Hennishaw of Toronto was the guest speaker.

The celebrated "Monsfield" All Wool Blankets and Rugs on sale at reasonable prices, at 127 Main St. W., Grimsby. Agent, Mrs. W. E. Cullingford. A large variety to choose from, including Children's Blankets, Scotch Plaid Auto Rugs make very acceptable Christmas gifts. Call and see these fine goods anytime.

Kenneth Griffin, principal of the public school, reports that he has had good success in securing old hockey skates and outfitts, for the use of his school kids' hockey league. But he could still use some small sizes of skates and shoes. He has plenty of the larger sizes, but would be glad to receive several pairs of skates from size three down. It is the smaller sizes that he is short of. Dig into the attic and storerooms folks and see if you can find him some small sized outfitts.

GRIMSBY SEAL SALE UNIT

The Grimsby Seal Sale Unit met on Monday for the usual business. The amount collected from seal sales during the past week was \$35.75.

VEGETABLE GROWERS  
TALK OVER TARIFF

Officials of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association met in Toronto on Tuesday to discuss the effect of possible further Canadian tariff reductions.

Speakers at the meeting said that employment of more than 100,000 Ontario workers may be endangered if unfair concessions are granted in the proposed trade treaty between the United States and Great Britain.

"We are advising our branches and members to make no contracts for supplies or machinery for the coming year until they have received assurance from the authorities in Ottawa that no further reductions in tariff will be made," S. Atkins, Leamington, told the meeting.

Refreshments and conversation in the basement concluded a profitable evening.

## Obituary

George M. Southward

There was a large number of sorrowing friends and relatives in attendance at the funeral of the late George Methias Southward, which was held on Saturday afternoon from his late residence, Beaumont Road, Stoney Creek, with interment in Stoney Creek cemetery. Adjutant A. E. Waters of the Salvation Army assisted by Rev. Griffin Thompson, had charge of the service.

The pallbearers were: Fletcher Brand, Joseph Bowland, John Purcell, Albert Tillotson, John Farrell and Robert MacGeorge.

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Sale of Home Baking, etc., in the Model Dairy, Main Street, Saturday next, 11th inst., in aid of the funds of Grimsby Horticultural Society.

St. Andrew's A.Y.P.A. are holding an open Bridge and Euchre in the Parish Hall on Monday Dec. 13th, 1937, at 8:00 p.m. Everybody welcome. Admission 25c each.

Trinity Sunday School Christmas Entertainment on Thursday and Friday, December 16th and 17th. A Guitar Band, under the leadership of Ronald Waddington, will assist with the program during intermissions.

Grimsby Branch of the Women's Institute meets on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 14th, at the home of Mrs. A. McKenzie, 21 Depot Street. This is the Relief and Christmas Meeting, and, as usual, members will bring contributions of Jams and Jellies for Niagara Peninsula Sea, and clothing for the North. The Roll Call is My Own Special Christmas Custom. There will be Christmas songs and stories by the members.

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## FARRELL'S Shoe Store

## The FAMILY BARGAIN STORE

Leads Again — A Few Suggestions — All Merchandise  
Boxed if Desired, Free of Charge. Member of the  
Grimsby Shopping Club — Double Votes from Now  
Till Christmas Eve. Buy Now While Stock Is Complete

## WOOL SOX—

English Botany; special value,  
first quality, etc.  
3 Pts.

1.00

24

## MEN'S GLOVES—

Warmly lined "Capekin." Brown and black; these are  
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1.09

1.29

## HANDKERCHIEFS—

Ladies', 3 lg. in a box.  
Special

23

49

## SATIN SLIPS—

Wonderful value. Specially  
priced for the holiday  
season at

89

98

## MEN'S TIES—

Just received a new stock, ranging  
from 26c to

49

98

## MEN'S SHIRTS—

Broadcloth; Toke, Arrow, Brill,  
Regal, Dominion and Halfour.  
All sizes in the lot.

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Regular 1.50. Special All sizes 98

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All wool. Special value

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